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STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE  
NOTICE OF REQUEST TO AMEND AN EXEMPTION  
FROM HRS CHAPTER 103D CONTRACT

ADMINISTRATION  
STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE  
STATE OF HAWAII

TO: Chief Procurement Officer

FROM: Public Safety / Narcotics Enforcement Division  
Name of Requesting Department

CORLOG NO: 2014-1023

Pursuant to HRS §103D-102(b)(4) and HAR section 3-120-5(d), the Department requests to amend an exempt contract as follows:

1. SPO-007, Exemption Reference (PE) Number: 14-030B
2. Vendor/Contractor/Service Provider Name: Air Rescue Systems Corporation, 700 Jefferson Avenue, Ashland, Oregon

3. Describe the goods, services, or construction:

Three (3) \*Air-Lift Rescue Vest (A.R.V.) Extraction Device for helicopter operations. \*10% discount from \$850.00, now \$765.00 each, total \$2295.00. One (1) \*\*Heli-Bridle for MD500 Pilot/Rappel Master Training Unit. \$1400.00. \*\*Heli-Bridle Training Unit specifically designed for NED training. JUSTIFICATION: An A.R.V. Extraction Device will be required to accompany each Heli-Bridle system that is utilized on any helicopter used for NED marijuana eradication missions or aerial operations involving rappel/STABO. The A.R.V. is necessary to safely insert and/or extract personnel from areas not accessible from the ground. It may also be used to extract suspects apprehended or injured personnel in a safe, efficient and timely manner. The Heli-Bridle Training unit will provide continuous training and certification for pilots, rappel masters and rappel specialists to maintain proficiency. These are safety equipment required for airborne helicopter operations.

4. Explain in detail what is being amended:

AMENDMENT 1: Requesting approval for time extension of PE 14-030B originally approved by SPO CPO Bonnie Kahakui for the period 11/26/13-12/26/13. Now requesting extension of this approval from ~~12/26/13~~ to ~~08/30/14~~ <sup>6/3/14 - 10/30/14 DR 6/19/14</sup>. AMENDMENT 2: Amend original purchase price of the three (3) Air Rescue Systems Corporation (ARS) Heli-Bridle systems, cost of \$23,175.00 + GET, to now include the three (3) A.R.V. Extraction Devices, cost \$2295.00, and one (1) Heli-Bridle for MD500 Pilot/Rappel Master Training Unit, cost \$1400.00, total \$3695.00. Grand Total: \$26,870.00 + GET.

5. Amended contract price for this request: \$ 26,870.00 + GET

6. Explain in detail why the amendment(s) are necessary:

These amendments are necessary to insure that adequate time is available for NED to properly complete the previously approved purchase of the Heli-Bridle Devices now including the Heli-Bridle Training Unit and A.R.V. Extraction Devices. Approval of this amendment request will work in conjunction with NED's ability to schedule training for NED and various other law enforcement personnel who assist with eradication operations of the Heli-Bridle, Heli-Bridle Training Unit and A.R.V. Extraction Devices before the next scheduled marijuana eradication operations begin in July/August 2014. Pilots, Rappel Masters and Rappel Specialists need repetitive training and indoctrination in the deployment and use of the Heli-Bridle during airborne helicopter operations conducted by the NED during marijuana eradication. Only use of an approved identical training Heli-Bridle device can accomplish this. Use of the actual Heli-Bridle designated for operations during training is not feasible nor recommended by ARS as device integrity would be compromised with the extensive amount of repetitive training evolutions conducted with the device. Therefore, expeditious approval of this amendment is requested.

7. Identify the primary responsible staff person(s) conducting and managing this procurement. Appropriate delegated procurement authority and completion of mandatory training required.)

\*Point of contact (Place asterisk after name of person to contact for additional information.)

Name	Division/Agency	Phone Number	Email address
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**All requirements/approvals and internal controls for this expenditure is the responsibility of the department.**  
**I certify that the information provided is to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.**

*[Signature]*

Department Head Signature

*6/2/14*

Date

**For Chief Procurement Officer Use Only**

Date Notice Posted: *6.6.14*

Submit written objection to this notice to issue a <sup>*Exempt*</sup> ~~sole source~~ contract within seven calendar days or as otherwise allowed from date notice posted to:

state.procurement.office@hawaii.gov

**Chief Procurement Officer (CPO) Comments:**

Approval is granted for the period 6/3/14 - 10/30/14. This approval is for the solicitation process only, HRS section 103D-310(c) and HAR section 3-122-112, shall apply (i.e. vendor is required to be compliant on the Hawaii Compliance Express) and award is required to be posted on the Awards Reporting System. Copies of the HCE certificate and awards posting are required to be documented in the procurement/contract file.

If there are any questions, please contact Bonnie Kahakui at 587-4702, or bonnie.a.kahakui@hawaii.gov.



Approved



Disapproved



No Action Required

*[Signature]*

Chief Procurement Officer

*6/16/14*

Date